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Honorable Leda Dunn Wettre, U.S.M.J.  
United States District Court for the District of New Jersey  
Martin Luther King Jr. Federal Building & U.S. Courthouse  
50 Walnut Street  
Newark, New Jersey 07101

**Re: *United States, et al. v. Apple Inc.***  
**Case No. 2:24-cv-04055 (JXN-LDW)**  
***Pro Hac Vice Admission Motion on Consent***

Dear Judge Wettre:

This Office, by and through the Attorney General Matthew J. Platkin, represents the Plaintiff State of New Jersey ("New Jersey") in the above-captioned matter. This correspondence is respectfully submitted, in lieu of a notice of motion, in accordance with Your Honor's judicial preferences, in support of New Jersey's motion for an Order admitting *pro hac vice* Anthony W. Mariano, counsel for the Plaintiff State of Massachusetts. Defendant Apple Inc. consents to the *pro hac vice* admission of Mr. Mariano.

In support of New Jersey's motion, enclosed please find the Certification of Andrew F. Esoldi, Deputy Attorney General, and the certification of Anthony W. Mariano seeking *pro hac vice* admission to represent the Plaintiff State of Massachusetts. Also enclosed is a proposed Order.

As set forth more fully in the enclosed certifications, pursuant to Local Rule 101.1(c), New Jersey will appear in this action, including all court appearances, on behalf of the Plaintiff State of Massachusetts, accept service of all court filings, and otherwise serve as local counsel. Mr. Mariano has advised me that he is a member in good standing of the bars to which he is admitted, specializes in the field of antitrust law, and is familiar with the facts of the case, issues, and pleadings. For these reasons, it is respectfully submitted that good cause exists for *pro hac vice* admission of Mr. Mariano.

New Jersey respectfully requests that Your Honor enter an Order admitting counsel to represent the Plaintiff State of Massachusetts pursuant to Local Civil Rule 101.1(c).



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Your Honor's time and consideration of this matter are greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

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